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# To You We Dedicate



**Mr. George R. Wyatt**

We the staff of the 1975 Confederate are proud to dedicate this yearbook to our librarian - George R. Wyatt, Jr. His friendliness and consideration for all of us has made possible a relaxed atmosphere in which to learn and work. He has diligently worked to stimulate our interest in learning and provide us with the best library possible. When asked how he felt about teaching, Mr. Wyatt said, "It is a privilege to work with young people. Our students of today are our citizens of tomorrow." To Mr. Wyatt, we extend our sincere appreciation and wish him the best in the future.



# ADMINISTRATION





## **Beverly B. McDowell**

### **Head Master**

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The emphasis of the Academy is three-fold: (1) Academy excellence (2) Christian discipline (3) respect for the time-honored principles of individual responsibility and constitutional government.

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HAYSLETT  
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MRS. MOLLIE McDOWELL  
Transportation



MRS. VIRGINIA WALTERS  
Office Clerk

MRS. ANN HUBBARD  
Cafeteria Manager



MR. JAMES M. HUBBARD  
Mechanic

BOTTOM, Left to Right: Max Frayser, Mrs.  
McDowell, Mrs. Hubbard.



# FACULTY



# Upper School

MR. ROBERT K. ANDERSON  
History and Physical Ed.

Mr. Anderson was born and raised in Lancaster, Pennsylvania. He attended University of Richmond and received his B.A. degree in English Literature. He hopes to teach on the college level after attaining a M.A. degree, possibly in counseling or secondary education.



MR. EDWARD L. LYNCH  
English

Mr. Lynch was born and raised in North Carolina. He graduated from Mars Hill College with a B.A. in English. He is very interested in Drama and acted in several local theater productions.





MR. DONALD P. OPOCENSKY  
General Science, Biology, Chemistry

Mr. Opocensky was born and raised in Hopewell, Virginia. He attended Richmond Professional Institute of the College of William and Mary and received a B.S. Degree in Science.

MRS. JUDITH SCRIVENER  
Mathematics

Mrs. Scrivener was born and raised in Seattle, Washington. She attended the University of Washington and received a B.S. degree in Chemistry from Brigham Young University.



MRS. MARY ELLEN SWIFT  
Business

Mrs. Swift was born and raised in Petersburg, Virginia. She attended Richard Bland College and received a B.S. degree in Business Education.





MRS. NANCY WILLIAMS  
Art. History 8

Mrs. Williams was born and raised in Petersburg, Virginia. She attended Richard Bland College for three years and received an A.A. degree in Fine Arts. She graduated from Madison with a B.S. in Art Education.



MR. GEORGE R. WYATT  
Librarian, History 11

Mr. Wyatt was born in Stony Point, Virginia. He graduated from the University of Richmond with a B.S. and M.A. in English.



"I raised my hand first."

# Lower School



MISS KATHERINE GWALTNEY  
Grade 3

Miss Gwaltney attended the Virginia Commonwealth University.

MISS MILDRED HILL  
Grade 2

Miss Hill was born and raised in Richmond, Virginia. After graduating from St. Catharine's she received her B.A. in Art History from Sweet Briar College.



MRS. EDITH HORNER

Mrs. Horner attended the Virginia Commonwealth University. She teaches Language Arts 5-7.



MISS JUNE JESSUP

Miss Jessup graduated from Colonial Heights High School and attended Richard Bland College. She teaches 4-7 math. Also she has a 4th grade reading class.

MRS. MARLEENE McDOWELL

Mrs. McDowell was born and raised in Augusta, Georgia. She attended Toccoa Falls College and graduated with a B.A.B.E. degree. She teaches History and reading to the 4-7.



MRS. HAZEL TAYLOR

Mrs. Taylor attended Cradock High School in Portsmouth, Virginia and Old Dominion College in Norfolk. She teaches Science and Languages to grade 4 and History to grades 5 and 6.



MRS. BETTY WARD  
 Grades K & 1

major B.S. in History.



Mrs. Horner teaching her class.



LEFT TO RIGHT Miss Hill, Miss Gwaltney, Mrs. Ward with their children at recess period on the playground.

# SENIORS





KAREN SUE BERRYMAN

"Loving thoughts are little seeds,  
Let them blossom into deeds."





JOSEPH LEE BREEDING

"If you smile at me I will understand, cause that is something everyone does in the same language."  
 "It's times like these you come to know how much a part of everything you are."





JUDITH ELAINE BOURNE

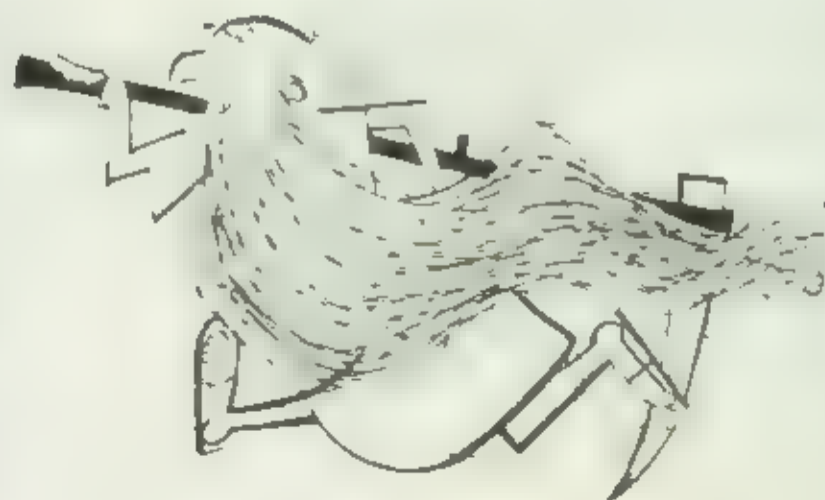
"A friend.  
is a present  
you give yourself."





RICHARD PAUL BUNGARD

"Excuses, excuses . . .  
Promises, promises . . .  
When was it due?!?"





HARRY FREDERICK BURCH

"If a man does not keep pace with his companions, perhaps it is because he hears a different drummer. Let him step to the music which he hears, however measured or far away."

Henry David Thoreau





DEBORAH GAIL CALDWELL

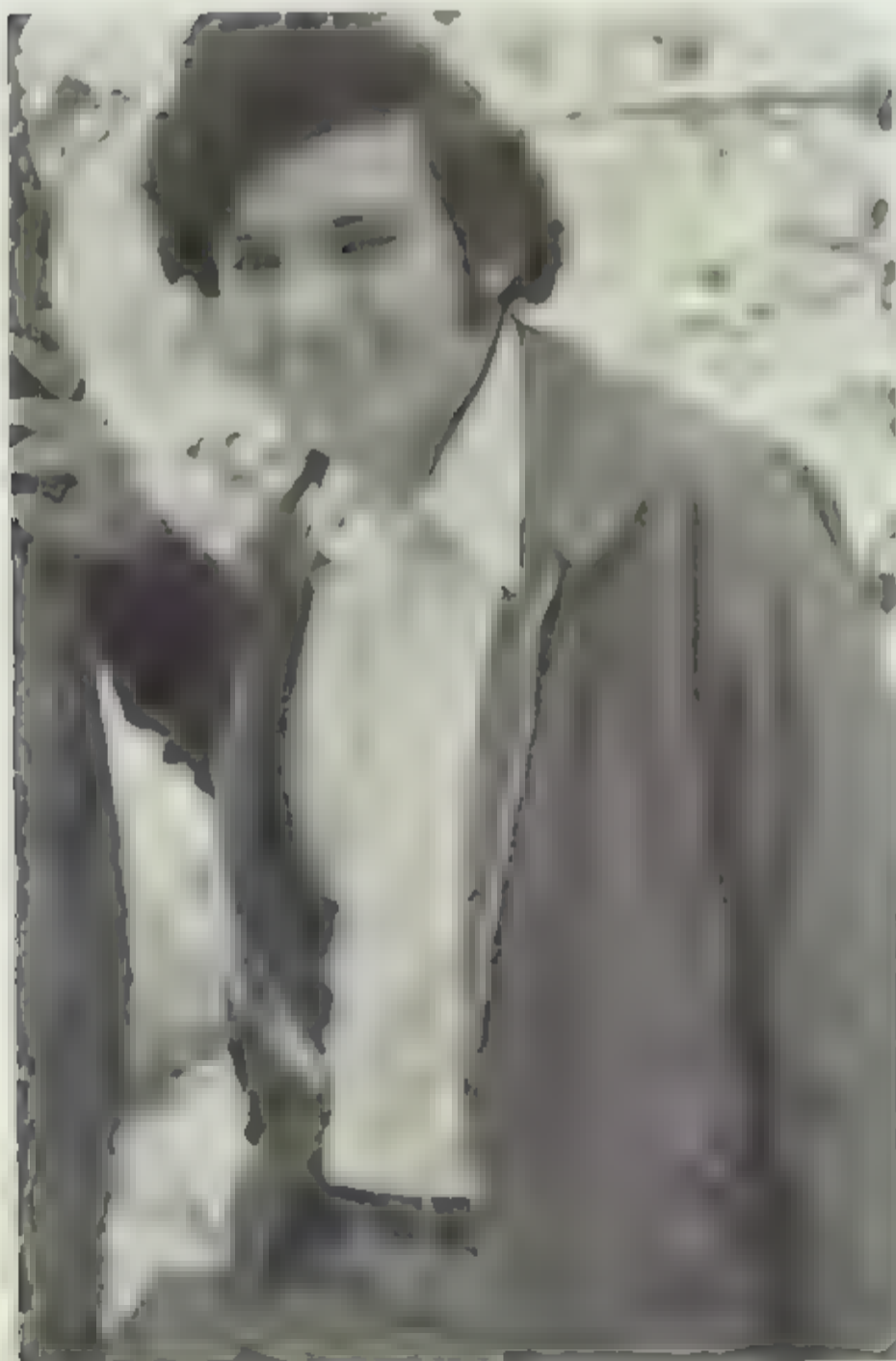
The greatest kindness  
we can offer each other is the  
truth.



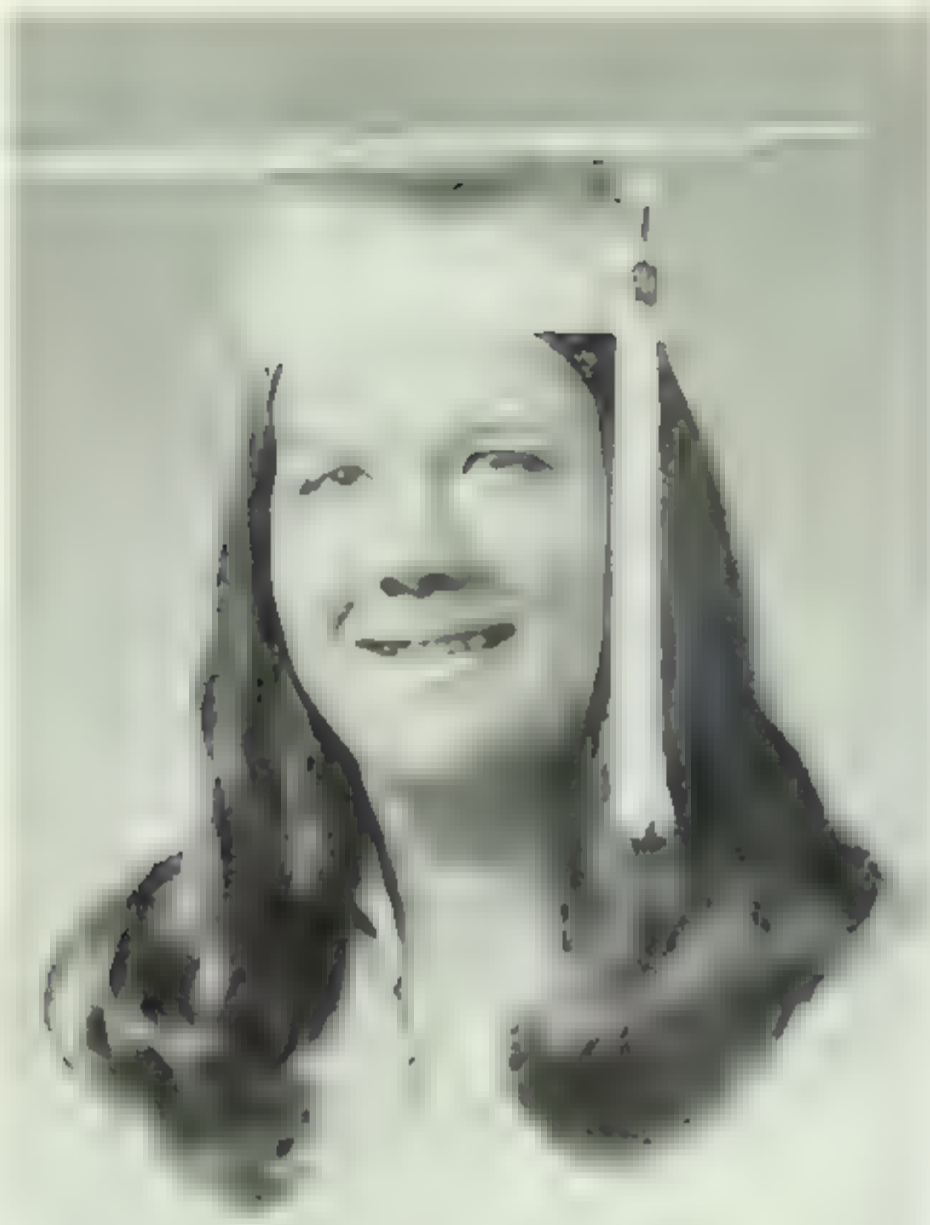


GERALD LEE COLE

"Always the same . . .  
yesterday, today, forever."

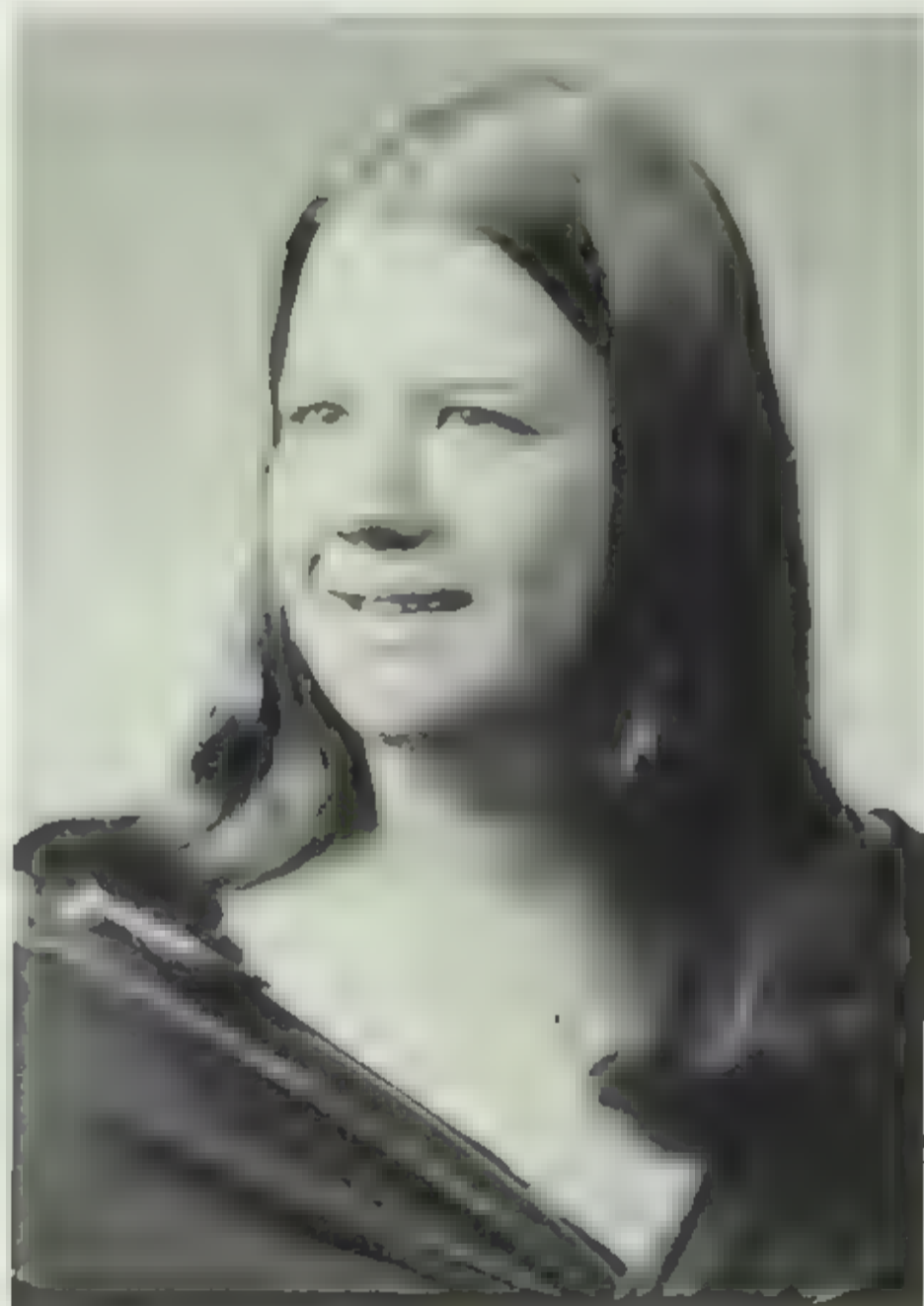


*Gerald Lee Cole*



VIRGINIA LYNN GARRETT

"Don't put off till  
tomorrow what you can do today,  
because if you enjoy it today,  
you can do it again tomorrow."





KATHERINE SUE GREENLEE

"A laugh is just like music  
it lingers in the heart,  
And where its melody is heard  
the ills of life depart."





SHEILA MAE JONES

"Take something you love and let it go free, If it comes back, it's yours to keep, If it doesn't, it never was."





KATHY GRAY LONGEST

"You've got to get up every  
mornin' with a smile on your  
face,  
and show the world all the  
love in your heart,  
then people are gonna treat you  
better,  
You're gonna find, yes you  
will,  
that you're beautiful as  
you feel."

Carole King





DIANA LYNN PUGH

"A friendship is like china,  
beautiful, costly and rare.  
Once it is broken,  
the crack is always there."





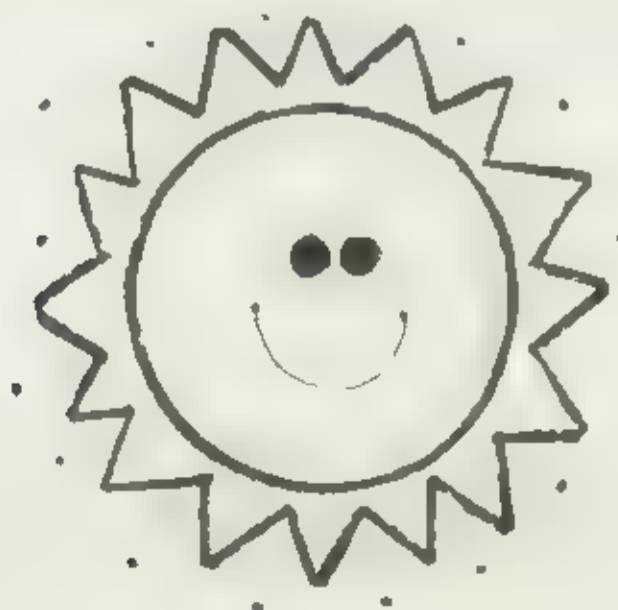
NANCY ELLEN REID

"I know when I get there, the first  
thing I'll see is the sun shining  
golden shining right down on me;

Then trouble gonna lose me - worry leave  
me behind and I'll stand up proudly,  
in true peace of mind . . .

Way over yonder -  
that's where I'm bound."

Carole King





RODERICK LAWRENCE ROWE

"All men dream . . . but not equally. They who dream by night in the dusty recesses of their minds wake in the day to find that it is vanity; but the dreamers of the day are dangerous men, for they act their dream with open eyes, to make it possible."

T. E. Lawrence





KATHY LYNN STRADER



"I believe in the sun  
Even when it is not shining,  
I believe in love  
Even when I am alone,  
I believe in God  
Even when He is silent."





PATRICK ALLEN SULLIVAN

"Ho hum . . . gotta Match?"





CYNEVA MAE SWENSON

"If you love something very much, you must let it go free. If it doesn't come back, it was never yours. If it does, love it . . . forever."





REBECCA SUSAN WHITE

"The best way out is through."





CYNTHIA ROBIN WHITLOW



All I have to say and I think its most appropriate here.

"Do unto others as you would have them do unto you."



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CHRISTINE JUNE WOOD

"The rose of the valley may wither,  
The pleasures of youth pass away,

But friendship will blossom forever,  
While all other flowers decay."





Kathy Strader - President, Cindy Swenson - Vice-President  
Nancy Reid - Secretary, Diana Pugh - Treasurer



The Senior Lounge: It's not the Waldorf Astoria, but it will do!

# JUNIORS





#### CLASS OFFICERS

David Campbell - President, Glenn Vowell - Vice-President, Bill Frayer - Treasurer

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Malcolm Allen  
Mark Black  
David Campbell



Leslie Davis  
Bill Frayser  
Brian Hughes



Mrs. Swift celebrating with Captain Q-Tip on a business matter.

Raymond Hughes  
Paula Lafoon  
Larry Padgett



Robin Staley  
Susan Tribble  
Glenn Vowell



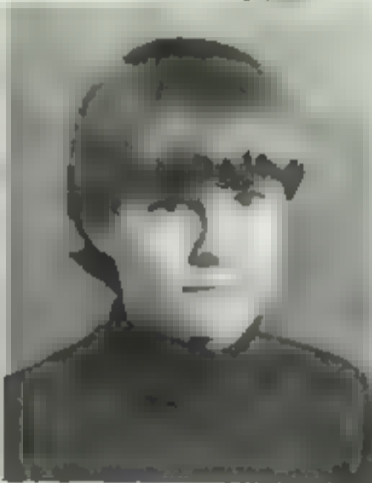
# Sophomores



Jerry Adkins  
Cathy Alley  
Kathy Balderson  
Andy Ballance



Bonnie Bowery  
Tommy Hawkins  
Terry Heath  
George Jackson



Michael Jenkins  
Lee Johnson  
Donna Jones  
Janet Monk



Rhonda Moore  
Robert Moore



Debbie Scott caught by surprise!



Sandra Newcomb  
Debbie Ott  
Mary Pace  
Debbie Scott



William Stockner  
Teresa Taylor  
Patricia Thompson

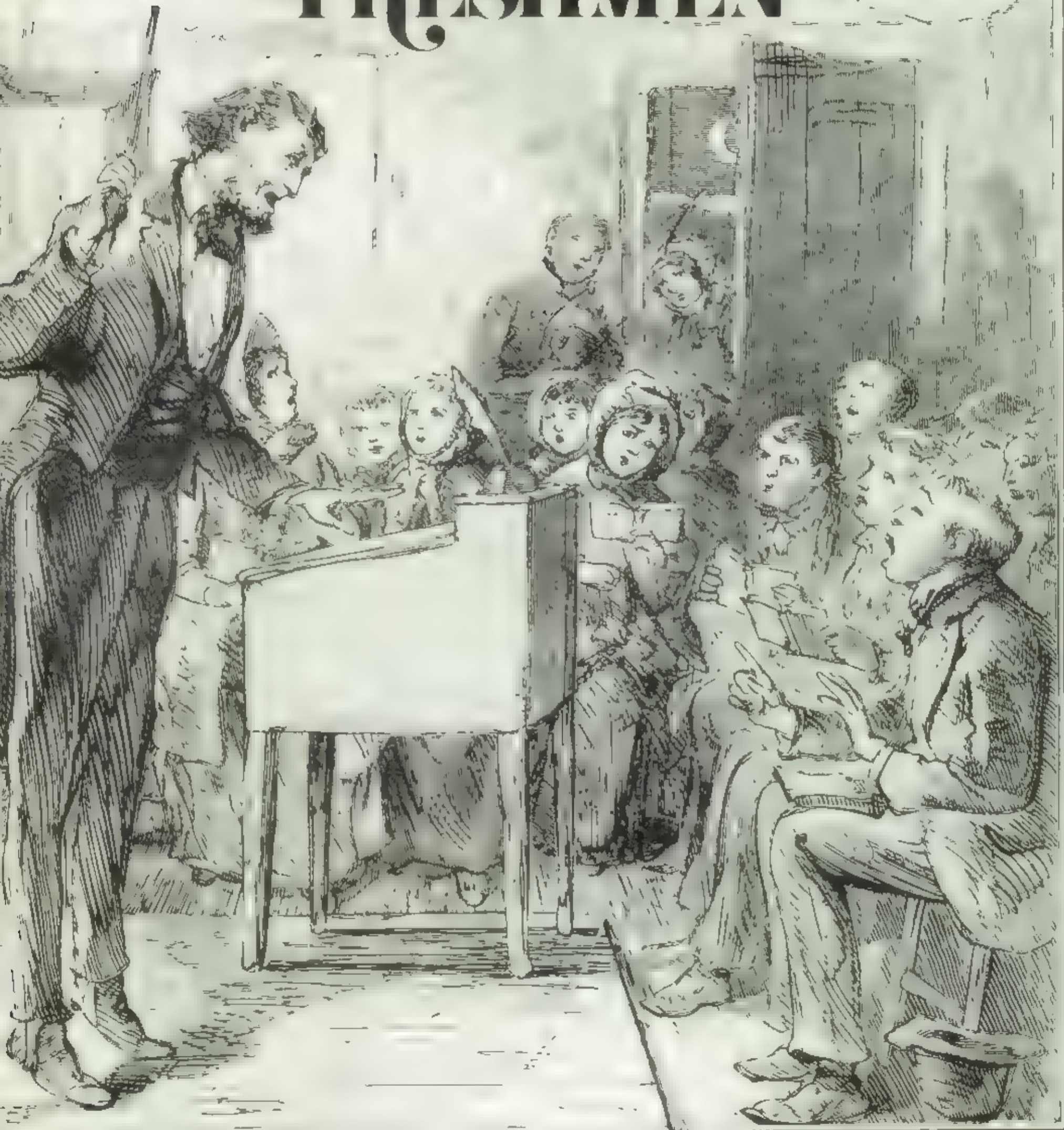


Susan Tribble  
Donna Welch



CLASS OFFICERS Lee Johnson, Donna Jones, Terry Heath, Rhonda Moore, Kathy Balderson,  
Debbie Ott.

# FRESHMEN





Gerald Brown  
John Davis  
Max Frayser  
Susan Garnett



Danny Gholoson  
Mildred Greene  
Rosina Hughes  
Renee McCoull



Tracey Muse  
Troy Parker  
Cindy Peckinpugh  
Rex Tate



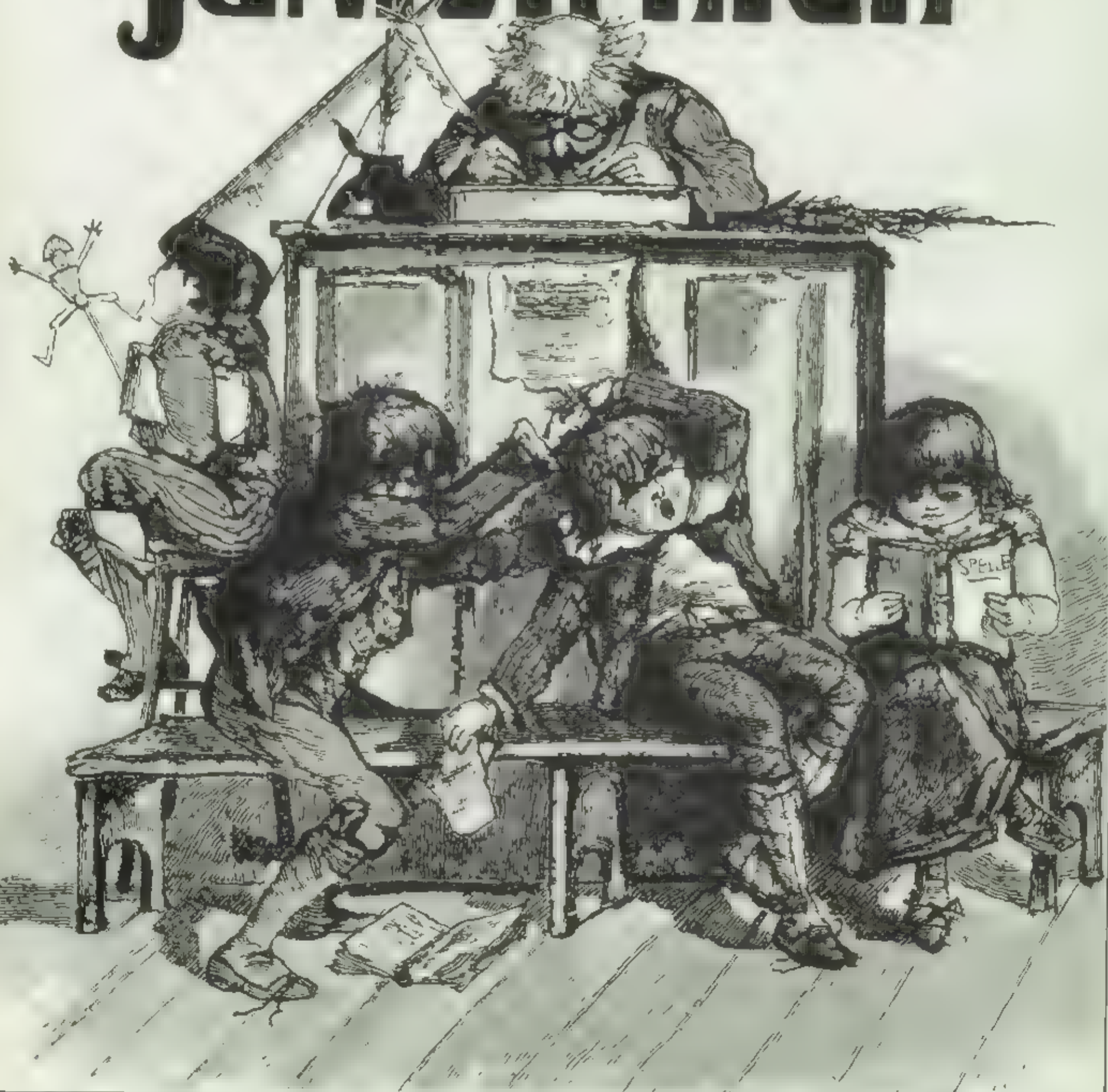
Wanda Williamson

#### CLASS OFFICERS

Wanda Williamson - President, Rosina  
Hughes - Vice President, Susan Garnett -  
Secretary, Renee McCoull - Treasurer



# JUNIOR RIER





Dolores Aldred  
Timmy Allen  
Joy Atkins  
Janet Borelli



Vickie Byrd  
Tracey Cooke  
Darryl Hickman  
Sherri James



Lorenze Klotz  
Fran Klotz

Joy says, "Oh no, not another picture."



Tracey Cooke smiles for the camera or is it just lunchtime!

## 8th Grade

Donna Luck  
Wilma Miller  
Susan Reid  
Dewayne Stacy



Bryant Tankard  
Laurie Thompson  
Camia Tyler



CLASS OFFICERS: Susan Reid - President, Laurie Thompson - Vice President, Joy Atkins - Secretary, Tracey Cooke - Treasurer

## 8th Grade



Beverly Busby  
Tanya Condrey  
Candy Culbreth  
Sandra Gray



Annett Grissom  
Michael Hubbard  
Cathy Hughes  
Robert Jenkins



Roger Jenkins  
Michael Mayton  
Jody Mingea  
Theresa Morman



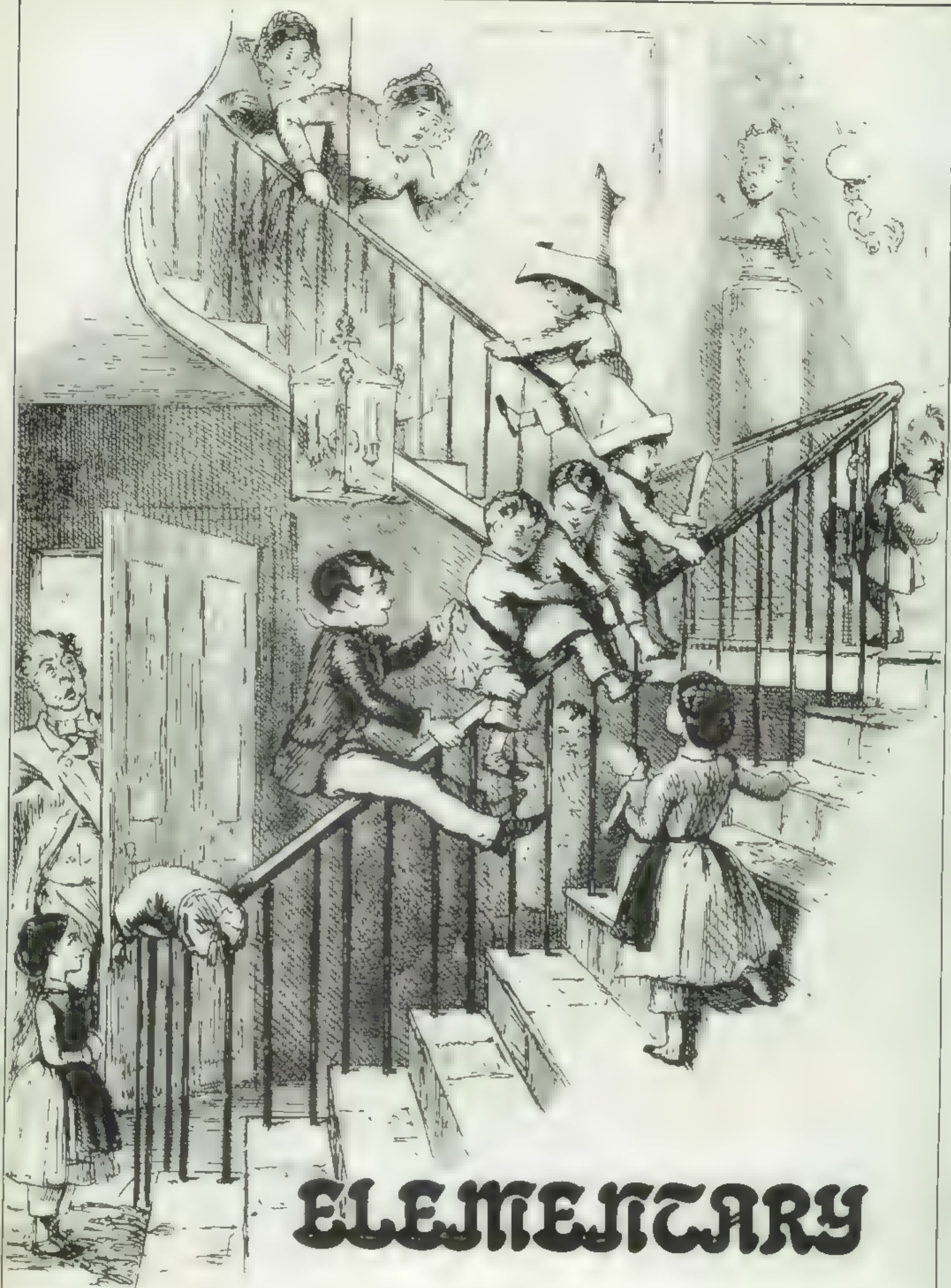
Susan Parrish  
Deean Shook  
Robin Treadway  
Lawson Tunstall



Douglas White



## 7th Grade



**ELEMENTARY**



Timothy Breeding  
Kimberly Burch  
Debra Burnes  
William Clarke



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Deborah Clayton  
Cynthia Hendricks  
Thruman Hubbard  
Susan Kelly



Timothy Linkous  
Shayne Lockhart  
Sheila Phillips  
Sharon Pugh



Kathy Stacy  
Roy Tate  
Catherine Tingen  
Christopher Tyler



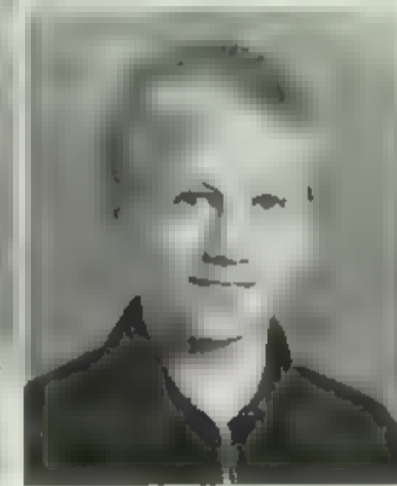
Valeria Williamson  
James Worley

## 6th Grade

Harold Clayton  
Tammy Culbreth  
William Hubbard  
Lauran McDowell



Garth Morman  
Theresa Peters  
Timothy Walters



Miss Jessup reads to her fifth grade class . . .

## 5th Grade

ABSENT WHEN  
PICTURES WERE  
MADE



Natalie Grissom  
James Hubbard  
Douglas Jackson  
Raymond Kite



William Loving  
Joseph Phillips  
Henrietta Pugh



Floyd Vest  
Tina Williamson



Mrs. Taylor points out some places of historical importance on the map to her fourth graders; Henrietta Pugh and Floyd Vest.

## 4th Grade

James Greasey  
Janet Greenlee  
Deborah Henderson  
Debbie Luck



Constance Mason  
Catherine Morris  
Robert Rickman  
Kathie Salina



Gregory Totty  
Gale Walters  
Calvin Williamson



## 3rd Grade



Third graders take a break before their next class.



Lesia Anders  
 Frederick Blair  
 Robert Greene  
 Sherry Hubbard



Kenny Jamerson  
 Stephen McDowell  
 Jamie Mingea  
 Micheal Moore



April Plummer  
 Clifton Robertson  
 Daniel Walters  
 Claude Ward



Thomas White  
 Tanya Worrell



## 2nd Grade

Michelle Barnes  
Clay DeMoss  
William Fuller  
Boyd Griggs



Melody Hudgins  
Robert Klotz  
Randy Loving  
Bonnie Lucker



Wendy Nislar  
Stephen Pugh  
Sigrid Salinas  
Robert Shagena



Donnie Stacy  
Kelly Totty



## Kindergarten And First Grade

# ORGANIZATIONS



# Yearbook Staff



TOP ROW. Left to Right: Tina Wood, Susan Reid, Mary Pace, Mrs. Nancy Williams, Laurie Thompson, Pee Wee Hughes, and Jerry Adkins. BOTTOM ROW. Left to Right: Kathy Longest, Virginia Garrett, Diana Pugh, Nancy Reid, and Tracey Cooke.

LEFT TO RIGHT: Treasurer and Co-Editor, Nancy Reid; Sponsor, Mrs. Nancy Williams; Editor-in-Chief, Kathy Longest.





## Confederate Staff Hard At Work!

Pictured above are the members of the Confederate Staff at one of their weekly meetings. Their diligent and sincere efforts, and cooperation from everyone involved helped to make our 75 yearbook a successful project.

Our Business Managers, Pee Wee Hughes and Laurie Thompson coordinated efforts to raise the necessary funds. \$800.00 was raised by selling yearbooks, \$200 was raised by selling advertisements and \$250 was raised from our car washes and bake sales.

Most of the photographs were taken by Richard Bangard and Susan Reid. We like to thank them and everyone who contributed photographs to the yearbook.

The Staff worked continuously throughout the year to produce this book. The cooperation among the yearbook members and their optimistic attitude came together to make this both a rewarding and enjoyable experience.

We like to express our appreciation to everyone who contributed to and supported our yearbook. We would also like to especially thank our sponsor, Mrs. Nancy Williams for her concern and support during the year:

74-75 Confederate Staff

# Yearbook Carwash Lots Of Water Lots Of Fun



Top Left: Tina Wood, "Where do you think you're going?" yells Mrs. Williams.



Top Right: Mrs. Williams supervises our car wash which was held at a local service-station.



"Pee Wee Hughes, watch where you are spraying that hose!" yells Jerry Adkins.



# Softball Team

TOP ROW, Left to Right: Rhonda Moore, Pee Wee Hughes, Donna Jones, Cathy Alley, Debbie Scott, Robin Whitlow, Judy Bourne, Diana Pugh, Kathy Strader. BOTTOM ROW, Left to Right: Wilma Miller, Robin Staley, Donna Luck, Terry Heath, Sandra Newcomb. NOT PICTURED: Mr. Anderson - Coach and Sponsor, Kathy Strader - Manager.



Shelia Jones waits on first base.



Robin Staley and Donna Jones look on at softball practice.

## SCORES

Warwick vs. B.A. 7 to 11  
St. Gertudes vs. B.A. 36 to 0  
Bollingbrook vs. B.A. 7 to 9  
Chickahominy vs. B.A. 17 to 12  
Warwick vs. B.A. 7 to 6

## Basketball Team



LEFT TO RIGHT: Darryl Hickman, Leslie Davis, Larry Rowe, Larry Padgett, David Campbell, Danny Gholson, Lloyd Hardinon.

## Cheerleaders



LEFT TO RIGHT Terry Heath, Pee Wee Hughes, Debbie Ott, Donna Jones. ON TOP Cathy Alley - Captain, Kathy Balderson, Debbie Scott, Rhonda Moore.



# Bus Drivers



LEFT TO RIGHT: Mrs. Williamson, Mrs. Henderson, Mrs. Totty, Mrs. Collins, Brian Hughes, Bill Frayser, Gerald Cole, Mr. Hubbard. NOT PICTURED: Mr. Hughes, Tina Wood, Mimi Hill.



Left: Gerald Cole smiles for the camera, happy it is 3:15.

Right: Buses lined up for daily inspection.





School Not Only A Time For  
Learning But Also . . .



A Time For Growing





## A Trip To The Spider Museum Makes For A Day Of Fun And Surprise!!

Al Capone and his cohorts??? No, it's Andy  
Ballance, Susan Reid, Laurie Thompson, and Mary  
Pace.

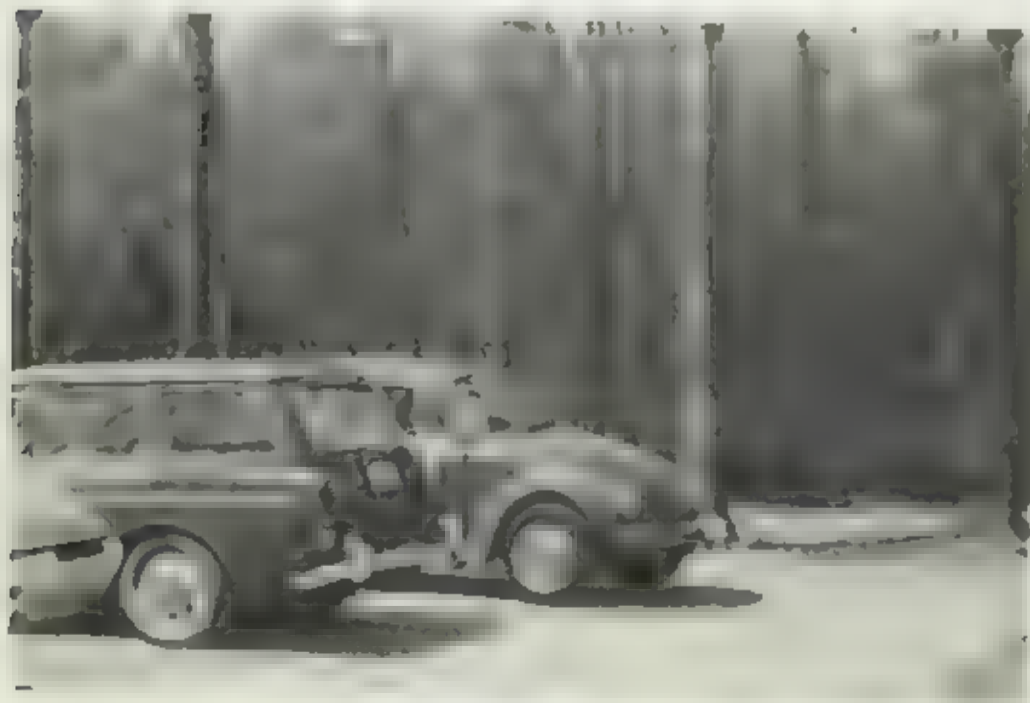


Posing for their mug shot: Andy Balance, Susan Reid,  
Laurie Thompson, Mary Pace, and Nancy Reid.



Nancy Reid, Mary Pace, and Laurie Thompson up the  
creek without a boat and paddle.

## Meanwhile Back At School . . .



Richard Bungard admires his hand while eating  
lunch.

Mr. Anderson attempts to leave  
early.



Mrs. Williams looks so proud of her art student's  
wood carvings??? A snail, totem figure, plane, and

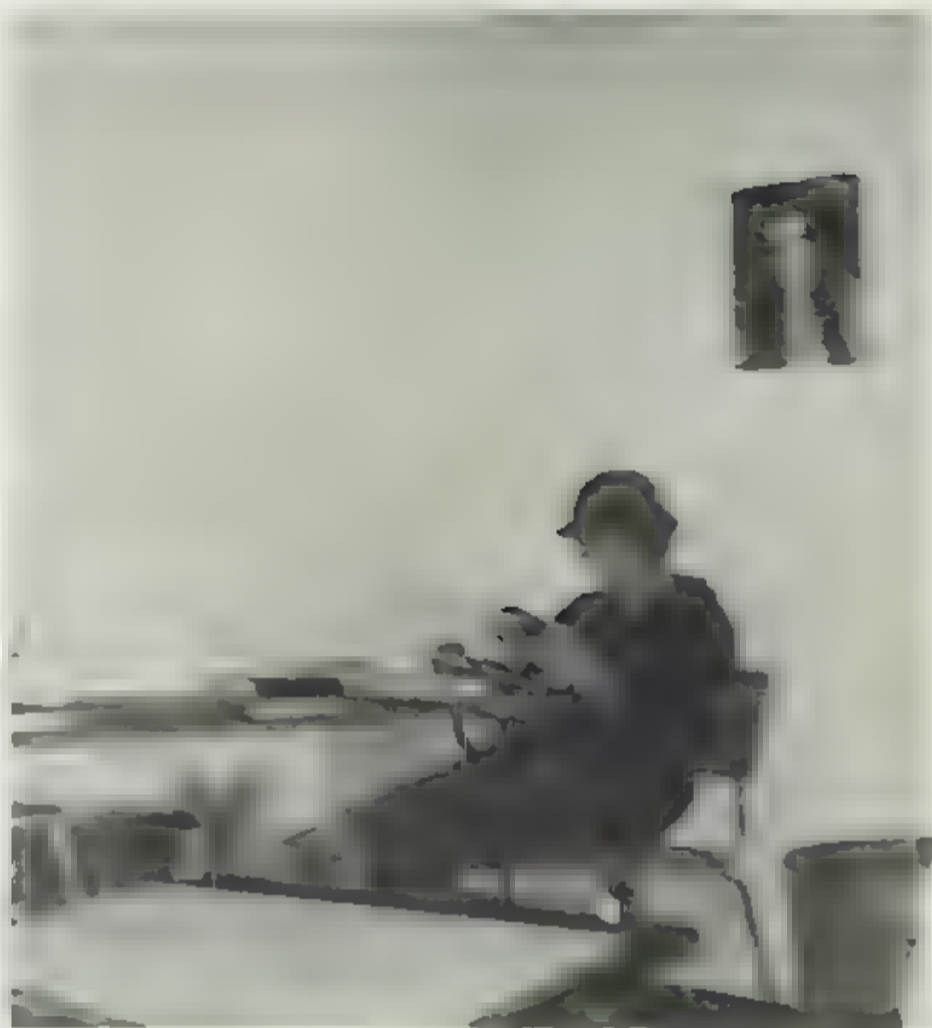


Students going to lunch.

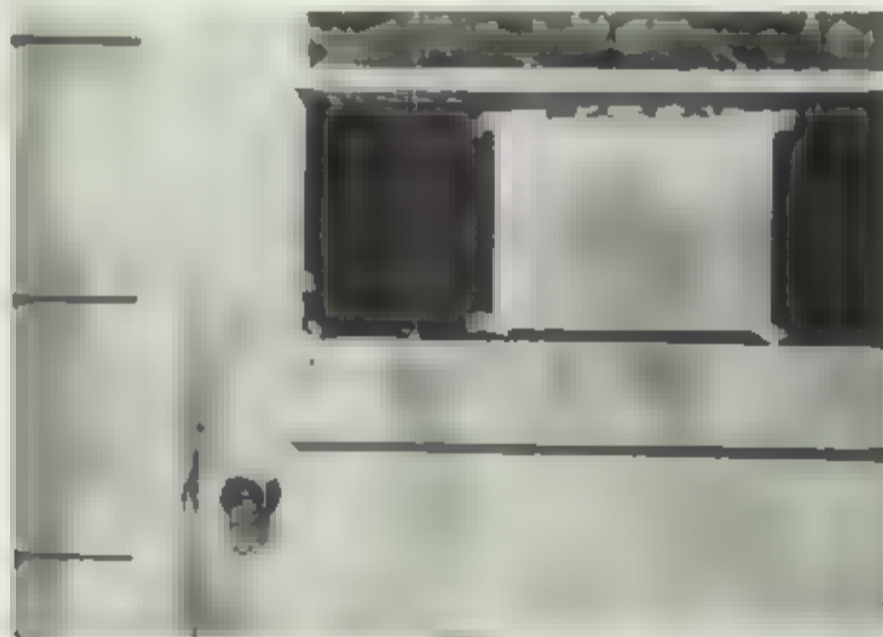


Debbie Ott leans on Cindy  
Swenson or is Cindy leaning  
on Debbie?

## Potpourri



Larry Rowe deep in thought.



If you value your life, don't enter through  
this door.



Robin and Debbie practice for their next game!



Susan and Tracey make a quiet exit.



Kathy Balderson gives Mr. Wyatt a big hug!!



LEFT TO RIGHT: Kelly Totty, Tommy White, Scott Kelly, Robert Greene, and Michael Moore.

**Our Yearbook  
Editor  
Kathy Longest**



I got soap in my eyes and it's not funny at all!!!

**And Staff**



Wonder who they are looking at?

**Co-Editor Nancy Reid**



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Thoughts Turn To Tomorrow's  
Expectations And Past  
Memories, This Day We  
Anxiously Waited For Has  
Finally Arrived.



Valedictorian  
Nancy Reid



Salutatorian  
Karen Berryman

**The  
Class Of  
1975 . . .**



**Would Like  
To Express  
Our Deep  
Appreciation To  
Our Teachers**



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Editor-In-Chief — Kathy Longest









